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FOR: PYRIMIDINE DERIVATIVES :
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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 30, 2003, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I: Claim(s) 1-11 (in part), drawn to compounds and herbicide of formula I with the following substituents; R^2 is R^2-1 or R^2-2 (i.e., phenyl or naphthyl); or a non-heterocyclic (non-heteroaryl) group; Ar is Ar-1 or Ar-2 (i.e., phenyl or naphthyl); R^3 and R^6 do not form a ring; R^9 and R^{10} do not form a ring.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.